The Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Saint Brigid and Our Lady of the Assumption

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Consecrate them in the truth. Your word is truth.
As you sent me into the world, so I sent them into the world.

John 17:17-18

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF MILLBURY
SAINT BRIGID † OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Parish Office

59 Main Street, Millbury, MA 01527
Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM
(508) 865-6624 • **Fax:** (508) 865-3101
www.stbrigidparish.org

Assumption Parish Phone: (508) 865-2657
www.assumptionmillbury.org

Assumption School

17 Grove St.
Millbury, MA 01527
(508)865-5404

WWW.ASSUMPTIONSCHOOLMILLBURY.ORG

Julie Olson
Principal

St. Vincent de Paul Society Outreach

774-262-5506

Mass Times

St. Brigid Church
59 Main Street
Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Assumption Church
10 Waters Street
Sunday: 9:00 AM

Weekday Mass Times

All at Assumption Church

Monday & Thursday
9:00AM

Tuesday & Wednesday
7:00AM

Knights of Columbus

Bishop Bernard J. Flanagan, Council 12710

Email: council12710.kofc@gmail.com

Parish Staff

Clergy

Rev. Daniel R. Mulcahy, Jr.
Pastor

Rev. Mr. Ronald B. Buron
Deacon
Facilities
Safe Environment

Administration

Eloise Colasanto-Saia
Secretary

Ronald Marlborough
Buildings and Grounds

Pastoral Associates

Sister Jeanne Richard, S.A.S.V.
Pastoral Care Ministry Emerita

Gregory Bernard
Adolescent & Young Adult Faith Formation
Youth Ministry
Communications

Deborah R. Blicharz
Children's Faith Formation
Community Life and Outreach

Claudette Belair
Music Ministry

Sacraments

Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated each month. To prepare for your child's Baptism, parents will attend a preparational session. For more information, or to make arrangements, please call the parish office.

Penance and Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM
or anytime upon request.

Marriage

Please call the parish office at least one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls

Please call the office when a parishioner is confined at home, is in the hospital, or placed in a nursing home or hospice. Holy Communion is brought to shut-ins upon request.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Sat., May 15

4:00 PM **Walter Weldon, 13th Anniversary**
By: His wife and family

Sun., May 16

7:00 AM **Rita Larosee, 1st Anniversary**
By: Her sister-in-law

9:00 AM **Lucille Vecchione**
By: Pauline D'Auteuil

11:00 AM **James Tabor, 4th Anniversary**
By: The family

Mon., May 17

9:00 AM **In Honor of St. Jude**
By: John Bergeron

Tue., May 18

7:00 AM **Marie and Ovila LaPlante**
By: Caroline Bazin

Wed., May 19

7:00 AM **Jean Callahan**
By: Eileen McCarron

Thu., May 20

9:00 AM **The People of the Catholic Parishes of Millbury**

Daniel Mulcahy, Sr., Andrew Mulcahy, Jr., Birthday Remembrance
By Fr. Dan

Sat., May 22

4:00 PM **John and Brone Tomasauskas**
By: Zina Zigmont and family

Sun., May 23

7:00 AM **Geraldine Morganti**
By: Thomas & Elaine Morganti

9:00 AM **The deceased members of the Thibault Family**
By: Aline Bourdeau

11:00 AM **Mary B. Mrozinski, 6th Anniversary**
By: The family

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 22, 4:00 PM at St. Brigid
AS: T. & F. Jakubiak
L: J. & J. Geneva
EM: K. Buron, D. Blicharz

Sunday, May 23, 7:00 AM at St. Brigid
AS: J. Mazeika
L: T. Mattus
EM: A. Nocchi, N. Tabor

Sunday, May 23, 9:00 AM at Assumption
AS: J. Giro, M. Hoban
L: D. Blicharz
EM: J. Hoban, G. Pothier

Sunday, May 23, 11:00 AM at St. Brigid
AS: NA
L: R. Spain
EM: J. & J. Prince

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY ~ MAY 15
First Communion @ SBC 4:00 PM

SUNDAY ~ MAY 16
First Communion @ OLA 9:00 AM
First Communion @ SBC 11:00 AM
SLAA @ SBH 7:30 PM

MONDAY ~ MAY 17
AA @ SBH 7:00 PM
GA @ OLAH 8:00 PM

TUESDAY ~ MAY 18
No Events

WEDNESDAY ~ MAY 19
Rehab to Life @ OLAH 6:00-9:00 PM

THURSDAY ~ MAY 20
Girl Scouts @ OLAH 6:00-7:30 PM
Rosary @ CPO 6:00 PM

FRIDAY ~ MAY 21
No Events

SATURDAY ~ MAY 22
First Communion @ SBC 4:00 PM

SUNDAY ~ MAY 23
SLAA @ SBH 7:30 PM

SCRIPTURE READINGS 2021

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 16	Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19
MONDAY May 17	Acts 19:1-8/Jn 16:29-33
TUESDAY May 18	Acts 20:17-27/Jn 17:1-1
WEDNESDAY May 19	Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11b-19
THURSDAY May 20	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26
FRIDAY May 21	Acts 25:13b-21/Jn 21:15-19
SATURDAY May 22	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Jn 21:20-25
PENTECOST SUNDAY May 23	Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

In Loving Memory

John & Julia Anger
Oscar & Marcy Anger
Lee Aubin
Larry F. Army
Gregory Barlay
Albina Bartkus
Edward Bartkus
Ann Beesley
Arthur G. Boucher
Patricia Bourdeau
Sylvio E. Bourdeau
Joseph & Rose Cataldo
Frank Cammuso
Philip Chabot, Sr.
Rita Cogliandro
Albert and Helen Collette
Pat and Tiff Correia
Donna "Gain" Cournoyer
Karen A. Courville
Roland O. Couture
Arthur "Archie" Cronin
Gerald & Peggy Croteau
George A. D'Auteuil, Jr.
George A. D'Auteuil, Sr.
Kathleen M. DeCillis
Raymond DeRouin

Armand Desorcy
Diane Dion
Joseph Dunn
Timothy P. Eckland
Jonathan Favreau
Lois M. Fisher
Gabrielle G. Gaboriault
Joe & Jean Gagliardi
William Gain, Jr.
Bernice Gaudere
Reggie Gauthier
Richard "Dick" Gendron
Edward & Frances Genis
Ruth Gonsorcik
John & Irene Guyan
Robert James (Sam) Guyan
Betty Hamilton
Derek Hamilton
Thomas & Patricia Hamilton
Robert J. Hamilton
Matthew Hartline
John & Shirley Huchowski
Paul J. Jandron
Joanne Juskavitch
Joseph V. Kane
Richard Kroll

Michael P. Krumsiek
Helen R. LaCrosse
Robert P. LaCrosse, Sr.
Lillian Langevin
Tan Le
Noe R. LeBeau, Sr.
Edward L. Lemoine
Kevin Lemoine
Rita Lemoine
Mark Lizotte
William and Irene Louis
Joseph Matthews
Margaret Matthews
Kenneth Michalak
Mary B. Mrozinski
Lorraine Mooney
Elsie Moquin
Ann Mulcahy
Daniel R. Mulcahy, Sr.
Albert Nikosey
Evelyn Noonan
Joseph Noonan
Rosemary Norton
John P. & Bridget O'Malley
Virginia Richnick
Arlene Riedle

Stephen Rodwill
Elaine Roy
Darlene Russell
Dorothy Russell
Marshall Russell
Michael W. Russell
William Russell
Bob & Rita Shea
Gino Silveri
Lucien Sirard
Maureen L. Stacy
C. Richard Stockhaus
Joseph F. Stockwell
James Tabor
Neal R. Thomas
Connor Tronerud
Chester Urban
Robert E. Vaillancourt
Nancy Vaillancourt
Lucille Vecchione
William T. Walsh
Paula Ward
Margaret Wendt
Dolores White
Ronald Woodward
Frank J. Yaz

May They Rest in Peace

Would you like to remember a loved one in our Remembrance section? The cost of enrollment will be a $50 donation for the year. Please contact the office (508) 865-6624 to enroll your loved one(s).

CANDLES

Burning May 15 - 21

Sanctuary Candles

At Assumption Church

In Loving Memory of

Lucille Vecchione

Requested by: Mr. & Mrs. Richard Croteau

At St. Brigid Church

In Loving Memory of

James Tabor

4th Anniversary Remembrance

Requested by: The Family

In Loving Memory of

Walter Weldon

Birthday Remembrance

Requested by: His granddaughters

In Loving Memory of

Gregory Barlay

Requested by: The Silveri family

Saint Joseph Candle

At Saint Brigid Church

In Loving Memory of

Ruth Burokas

Requested by: The family

Mass Intentions and Candles

DID YOU KNOW? *The sanctuary lamp or sometimes called a sanctuary light/candle burns before the tabernacle to indicate and honor the presence of Christ … t o let us know that Jesus is home.*

DID YOU KNOW? *That beginning on the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception 2020 and extending to the same feast in 2021, Pope Francis has proclaimed a special "Year of St. Joseph."*

DID YOU KNOW? *To honor St. Joseph and the Blessed Virgin Mary, candles are being made available for your intentions at both statues in both St. Brigid and Assumption churches.*

DID YOU KNOW? *Mass Intentions, Sanctuary Candles, and St. Joseph Candles are available for 2021. Masses are still available on weekends and weekdays.*

If you would like to schedule a Mass, Sanctuary Candle, or St. Joseph Candle please call the office at 508-865-6624, send an email to secretary@stbrigidparish.org or stop by the office during regular business hours, Monday – Thursday from 8:30 AM until 12:30 PM. Please be sure to include your name and phone number in any contact along with your request.

We Believe In The Power Of Prayer

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Prayer Line: 508-865-6853
or 508-756-9854

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, call one of the confidential prayer lines listed above.

Remember in Prayer this Week
Those who serve in our Military:

Marc Winchester **Emily Weagle**

Patrick Weeks **Denzel Parker**

Andrew Hafferty

Forms are available at each parish to add names to the Prayer List or call the rectory at 508-865-6624 with your request.

Ministries

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Diocese of Worcester
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Phone: 774-262-5506

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Third Sunday - 10:00 AM
The Offices of the
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
New Members Welcome!

PARISH FOOD COLLECTION

Monthly: First Weekend
Food Bins are located in the Main Entrance of the Church

All food donations must be dropped off on food drive dates and placed in the large blue bins only, no exceptions. NO Perishables, NO Cleanouts.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Monthly: First Weekend - 12:15 PM
St. Brigid Church Hall

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS LIST

THE PANTRY IS IN NEED OF:
Oatmeal, Pancake Mix, Pancake Syrup,
Paper Goods, Snacks

Please No Perishable, Expired Dates, or Pet Food.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Greetings from the Knights of Columbus!

It's that time again for the Knights Scholarships. This year in addition to our regular Alfred Weldon Memorial Scholarship, we will be offering The Anthony Mancini Memorial Scholarship for K - 12 for $500 sponsored by the Mancini family. Both applications will be available on our new website koc12710.org or you can email us at council12710.kofc@gmail.com.

Both scholarships are offered to any student planning on attending a Catholic school in 2021/2022. Please do not pass up this opportunity. All applications must be in by June 15th and will be awarded June 30th. You can apply to either scholarship or both, if you so desire.
Best of luck to all our applicants.

God's peace be with you all!

Bishop Bernard J. Flanagan Council 12710
Website: www.koc12710.org
Email: council12710.kofc@gmail.com

Together, let us pray for our children who have been preparing to receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist for the first time. We will be celebrating their First Communion with them at Masses the weekend of May 15 & 16.

May God bless them and keep them!

QUINN BRUNELL

BROOKS FULLER

BRIELLE GREGORY

NATHANIEL GUBBER

GENEVIEVE HOLMES

NOLAN HUBLEY

ASHLEY JOHNSON

CLAIRE JOHNSON

DYLAN JUMPER

CASH KAHL

ELLIANNA LOKKO

ISABELLE RIENDEAU

CHARLEIGH RICHARDS

ADDISON STRAPPONI

BENJAMIN WENCE

Legacy of Hope

St. Brigid

Our Lady of the Assumption

Legacy of Hope Campaign Update

As you may know, last week, our parishes launched our Legacy of Hope Campaign. **We will be hosting additional educational presentations at 6:30 pm, Monday, May 17th at Assumption Church and 6:30 pm Wednesday, May 19th at St. Brigid Church**. These presentations are designed to raise awareness about our projects and to give parishioners the opportunity to ask questions. Every registered household has an invitation to these meetings. We ask that you RSVP promptly when you get your invitation.

If for some reason you did not receive an invitation, and would like to attend one of the meetings, please email Deborah Blicharz at deborah.blicharz@stbrigidparish.org and materials will be sent to you.

The Legacy of Hope Campaign sets a financial target for each parish and provides for 40% of all monies raised at each church in the diocese to remain at that parish. 60% will support the Legacy of Hope diocesan needs as described above. The 40% that will remain at St. Brigid and Assumption will enable:

St. Brigid – To restore and update the pews and kneelers and replace the carpeting and flooring.

Assumption – To paint the interior of the Church, replace the carpeting, and renovate and modernize the Church Hall Kitchen

Both Churches – Any additional funds will go towards our Building our Futures Fund for each Church.

If we surpass our diocesan target, 60 percent of every dollar raised will remain at St. Brigid and Assumption.

We are hoping to raise these funds over the next 4 years by inviting all members of our family of faith to consider pledging to the campaign

Our Lady of the Assumption
Income
May 2, 2021

Regular Weekly Collection	**$1803.00**
Ordinary Collection Monthly	$145.00
Total Regular Weekly Collection	**$1,948.00**
Other Parish Income:	
Specialty Ministries	$41.00
Debt	$122.00
Hall Rental	$75.00
Utilities	$117.00
Faith Formation	$70.00
SVDP	$150.00
Mass Stipends	$210.00
Ascension Thursday	$10.00
Total Other Income	**$795.00**
Total Income	**$2,743.00**

Our Lady of the Assumption
Cash Flow
April 26, 2021

SVDP *(Donations)*	$60.00
RC Bishop of Worcester *(Budget Bill)*	$2,094.00
Eversource *(Gas)*	$1,513.15
Total monies paid	**$3,667,15**

St. Brigid
Income
May 2, 2021

Regular Weekly Collection	**$3,316.00**
Ordinary Collection Monthly	$893.00
Total Regular Weekly Collection	**$4,209.00**
Other Parish Income:	
Debt	$394.00
Specialty Ministries	$75.00
Utilities	$270.00
In Remembrance	$100.00
Hall Rental	$75.00
Ascension Thursday	$7.00
Mass Stipends	$150.00
SVDP	$95.00
Faith Formation	$239.00
Easter & Easter Flowers	$70.00
Total Other Income	**$1,475.00**
Total Income	**$5,684.00**

St. Brigid
Cash Flow
April 26, 2021

Payroll *(4/24)*	$2,990.09
PayChex, Inc. *(Payroll Processing Fees)*	$69.60
Payroll Taxes	$1,066.88
KMB IT *(Phones)*	$58.50
RC Bishop of Worcester *(Budget Bill)*	$3,785.00
RC Bishop of Worcester *(Dental Ins.)*	$188.00
Christian Brother Ins. *(Health Ins.)*	$4,004.88
Ramshorn Co. (*Landscaping)*	$2,500.00
USPS *(Postage)*	$275.00
Toshiba Finance *(Copier)*	$267.61
Eversource (Gas)	$817.97
Total monies paid	**$16,023.53**

St. Brigid & Assumption Online Giving Combined
April 28 - May 5, 2021

Sunday Offering	$2,724.00
Debt	$260.00
Utilities	$280.00
Specialty Ministries	$90.00
SVDP	$60.00
Faith Formation	$15.00
Total monies paid	**$3,429.00**

LEGACY OF HOPE
DIOCESE OF WORCESTER

Prayer for our Legacy of Hope Campaign

God our Father, you are the source of all goodness and of every blessing. We give you thanks and praise for the gift of our Catholic faith that is deeply rooted in your abundant love for us.

We ask your blessing upon our efforts to help secure the future of the Church in the Diocese of Worcester. May your people respond with faith and generosity to our Legacy of Hope Capital Campaign and may the sacrifices we make together today bear fruit in lives of faith, hope and love for generations to come.

We ask all this through Christ our Lord.
Amen!

Assumption School

Millbury, MA

A legacy of learning...a history with heart

Friday, June 11, 2021
Cyprian Keyes Golf Club
in Boylston, MA

- 18 Holes of Scramble Golf
- Buffet Dinner
- Use of Driving Range
- Free Voucher for 18 Hole Round of Golf at Cyprian Keyes (Future use)
- Free Voucher for 18 Hole Round at Cyprian's Par 3 Course
- Putting Contest at Noon

$160 per Golfer
$640 per Foursome

Contact Aaron Savoie to reserve your spot:
aaron.assumptiongolf@gmail.com
Deadline: May 31st

If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious, or lay person working for the Church, and you need a place to talk about your feelings of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Judith Audette at the Office for Healing and Prevention, (508) 929-4363. A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.

SENIOR CENTER NEWS

COVID-19 Vaccine Assistance
We will assist Millbury residents who are 65 and older schedule a vaccine appointment
The sites open are the larger ones the Governor has set in place. As soon as a nearby site opens up we will call you. If you have a computer you can go on to the Mass.gov website and schedule an appointment
If you do not have access to a computer or require assistance, please call the center and leave your name and phone number ***508-865-9154***

Blood Pressure Clinic
Every Tuesday from 9 AM - 10 AM
The Blood Pressure Clinic is held inside now.
Come to front door and we will escort you from there!
Masks required, along with social distancing!

Transportation
Transportation is provided for Millbury Senior Residents Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM. We travel one town out in each direction including Sutton, Grafton, Auburn and Worcester. A 48 hour notice is required for scheduling rides. Rides are free until July 1st. *For more information or to schedule transportation call the center at.508-865-9154.*

Food Pantry
Our pantry is open for Millbury residents Monday through Friday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM.
Please call ahead to place your order and pick up.

Friendly Visitor Program
Our Friendly Visitor Program is now being provided by telephone. Volunteers call clients to check in with them, chat and hear a friendly voice. *For more information on coordinating a Friendly visitor, call the center at 508-865-9154*

"MEMORY CAFÉ"
Our Traveling Memory Café is visiting people monthly. If you are interested in a visit (outside) please call Julieanne Fitzgerald at the senior center
We are also looking for volunteers to assist with this program. For more information call to RSVP!

"Grab & Go Meals"
Lunch meals will be available to be picked up daily at the front door at 11:30 AM Menu is available on Town Website, www.townofmillbury.org or our Millbury Senior Center Facebook page. A 48 hour reservation is required. Call for more information or to reserve.

THE MILLBURY SENIOR CENTER IS ACCEPTING SNAP APPLICATIONS (Food Stamps)
Our appointments are on Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM. Call for an appointment & required documentation.

Readings To-Go!

7th Sunday of Easter

Scan QR code to see this week's readings!

BREAKING BREAD APP NOW AVAILABLE!

USCCB approved Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal app is available for iOS and Android users at only $4.99 for the entire year. Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal app is simple and easy to use. With music, readings, prayers and the Order of Mass, this digital resource helps you fully participate in the liturgy, whether at home or in church. You can also prepare for each celebration by selecting songs, psalm settings and Gospel Acclamations for every Sunday and holy day.

Download on the App Store

ANDROID APP ON Google play

FILL IN THE GAPS

The sentences below are missing key words. Can you find the correct ones? (They are all in today's readings.)

1. The ___ fell upon _____, and he was counted with the _____ apostles.
2. Beloved, if God ___ loved us, we also _____ love one _____.
3. Holy Father, _____ them in your name that _____ have given _____.
4. I _____ them your _____, and the world _____ them.
5. As you _____ me into the _____, so I sent them _____ the world.

ANSWERS

1. lot, Matthias, eleven 2. so, must, another
3. keep, you, me 4. gave, word, hated
5. sent, world, into

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God our Creator, make us joyful in the ascension of your Son Jesus Christ. May we follow him into the new creation, for his ascension is our glory and our hope.
~ Roman Rite

COVID-19

ENTER/EXIT: Use the front doors only at both churches for entry and exit. Only in an emergency, should the nearest safe exit be used. Please go directly to and from your vehicles before and after Mass.

COVER UP: Masks must be worn at all times in the church except when it is time to receive Holy Communion.

SEATING: Every other pew has been taped-off closed for social distancing. In each open pew we have marked off, with stickers or tape, six feet of spacing as a point of reference. Families/Households sitting together do not need to safe distance.

COMMUNION: Only the Body of Christ will be offered for the foreseeable future. Please practice six feet of social distancing at all times during communion.

SIGN OF PEACE: Please use a non-contact sign of peace with a friendly wave to those around you.

PROCESSIONS: The priest, deacon and ministers will not process via the center aisle before or after Mass.

SANITIZE: While we will have some hand sanitizer pump bottles accessible in both churches, we encourage all to bring their own personal size supply to Mass if possible.